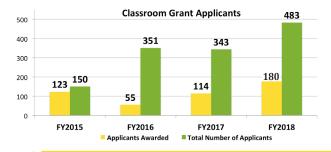
# STEM Action Center – Micro Grants

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The **PreK-12 Classroom Grant** is available to educators for classroom activities that focus on improving students' STEM learning experience. Emphasis is placed on activities that promote innovation and creativity in STEM subjects.



### **Examples of Classroom Grants Awarded**

- Vernier motion sensors and temperature probes
- Fruit Flies for genetic observations
- Oscilloscopes with sensors to attach to musical instruments
- Life cycle projects including trout and butterflies
- Owl pellets for dissection



17,000 FY2015 10,000 FY2016 16,000 FY2017 19,000 FY2018

The **STEM Organization Grant Program** supports organizations with innovative STEM programming for Utah preK-12 students to increase STEM awareness and involvement.

#### FY2018

- \$220,939 awarded
- 53 programs funded
- 80,000 students impacted

### FY2017

- \$72,100 awarded
- 24 programs funded
- 64,676 students impacted\*

### Awardees Include\*\*































\*The significant increase in impact was in part due to the inclusion of Discovery Gateway in FY2017 with over 50,000 students impacted.

The Utah STEM Action Center accepts requests for **sponsorship**, considering opportunities that promote STEM through best practices in education to ensure connection with industry and Utah's long-term economic prosperity.

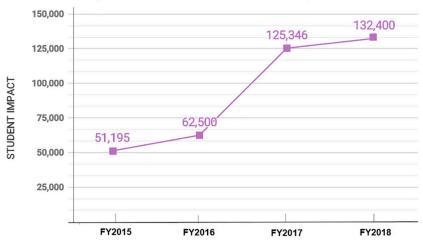


Since its 2015 inception, the STEM Ambassador program has grown from

## 6 to 24 volunteers

The Utah STEM Ambassador Program works with volunteers from high schools, colleges, and industry to support STEM initiatives statewide.

#### Sponsored Events: Student Impact



<sup>\*\*</sup>Not all awardees listed.